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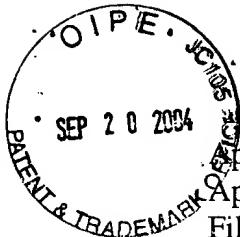
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APPLICANT'S INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Applicant's summary of the Examiner interview of August 26, 2004 in the above cited matter is provided below.

Claims discussed included independent claim 1.

Specific prior art discussed, as the present rejections were 35 § 112 rejections.

In discussion of the amended claim, there appeared to be a general acknowledgement that it probably made the section 112 rejections mute. Examiner Pak recalled that the prior 35 § 103 rejection to the claim had been overcome based on the cited art having common ownership. However, the Examiner noted the amended claim will have to be reviewed for novelty and obviousness.

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